

Amateur Managers Gather in Schoolboys---Old Grads Play on Hilltop Field

SCHOOLBOY PLAYERS AND COLLEGE STARS GO WITH AMATEURS

Sandlot Managers Grab Promising Material to Strengthen Their Ball Teams.

TROUBLE WITH CONTRACTS

Donnelly and Clayton Reported by Secretary, Who Declares Them Ineligible.

Amateur Games.

TODAY'S GAMES.
Department League—War vs. Printers.
Government League—Library vs. Bureau.
W. S. S. League—Reformation vs. Fifth.
T. R. Y. M. C. A. League—Car vs. Southern Audubon.
T. R. Y. M. C. A. League—Transportation vs. Baggage.
Home Club League—Sec. Ind. vs. Survey.
Holy Name League—St. Vincent vs. St. Joseph's.
Holy Name Junior League—St. Joseph's vs. Holy Name.
Southern Railroad Clerks' League—Bookkeeping vs. Purchasing.
War Interurbans League—Ordinance vs. Q. M.
Agassiz Interurbans League—Arlington Farm vs. B. A. I.
N. W. S. S. League—Open date.

By BRYAN MORSE.

Managers of the various amateur baseball teams are going right out after the high school and college players in order to strengthen their teams. The list of contracts this week contains the names of several college and high school stars who have just completed their seasons.

In the Potomac League, Drillery has grabbed Palmer Stearns and Lester Peine, of Western; while Congress Heights has taken Frank Greer, well remembered as Eastern's star athlete of a year ago who has been playing with the Roman Catholic High School, of Philadelphia, this season. St. Teresa recently signed Arthur Rasmussen and John Rendall, Gallaudet's famous battery. Bronson Howard, the All-High first sacker, of Western, has also been taken in tow by St. Teresa. "Buck" Wise, of Business High fame, plays with Fairlawn. In the Northwest Sunday School League, Randy Belcher has joined the other Central High School baseball players on the Central Presbyterian team. Lee Hart, Walter Cox, and A. Macdonald are all members of the championship Central High baseball team. Mike Cantwell and Frank Colley, former Tech players, are signed up. Cantwell, besides playing with St. Teresa, will pitch for the treasury team. Ches Lyons, a member of the Bureau team, is also enrolled with Treasury. Colley, who is enrolled with the Northwest League, and Whitney, of the Northwest Sunday School League, are also enrolled with War of the Departmental and Advent, of the East Washington Sunday School League, and G. H. I., of the Potomac circuit.

"Lefty" Clayton and James Donnelly will be in wrong with the Amateur Association until their managers clear them from charges of having signed with more than two clubs. Clayton was enrolled with Bureau, of the Government League, and Whitney, of the Northwest Sunday School League. Donnelly was enrolled with War of the Departmental and Advent, of the East Washington Sunday School League, and G. H. I., of the Potomac circuit. The rule of the Amateur Association in regard to players having signed with more than two clubs automatically suspends the players from participation. Secretary Shurtliff today reported the weekly list of contracts as released. Secretary Shurtliff informed the amateurs that they were ineligible to play. Both Clayton and Donnelly are ranked among the best players in the city. It would appear as though some manager had made a mistake, and will now have to get the players off the blacklist.

Washington's youngest league will start today when the first game of the Catholic Church League starts at Sixth and Florida avenue northeast. P. T. Moran, president of the Chamber of Commerce, will throw out the first ball.

Bill Handboe will handle the game today when St. Joseph's and Holy Name get into action. The league has an age limit and is a branch of the Holy Name circuit.

Tomorrow Sacred Heart and St. Dominic's will be opponents, while St. Anthony's and St. Peter's are booked for a game the following day.

Bill Culligan, of Business High, a brother of Ray Culligan, is playing with St. Paul, of the Hoselate League. Bill bids fair to step in his brother's shoes before long as he has shown good form in every branch of athletics he has taken up.

The Potomac League will probably ask for an immediate investigation of the Clayton case as the games in which he participated for St. Teresa can be declared forfeited according to the constitution of the amateur league. It is expected that St. Teresa will ask for action as soon as possible. The race in the league appears to be between St. Teresa and St. Joseph's, with St. Teresa climbing all the while.

Dartmouth Captain to Report to John McGraw

HANOVER, N. H., June 14.—Capt. Clarence "Bugs" Wanamaker, of the Dartmouth baseball team, plans to join the New York Giants. On June 22 the Melrose boy receives his degree and will then leave for New York to join the Giants, who will then be playing the Phillies. Wanamaker has never shown to better advantage than this season.

TODAY'S SPORTORIAL

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

If there are any young men in major league baseball who want to lead in any department this season, they will do well to begin hustling. Ty Cobb is running loose.

When the first quarter of the 1915 pennant race was ended, the Georgia Jewel had made 61 hits, scored 47 runs, and stolen 26 bases. If he keeps this up to the close of the campaign, good-night to all records in the history of the pastime! At the final curtain Cobb will have amassed 244 hits, 188 runs, and 104 stolen cushions. The Jungaleer now holds the record for number of hits in a season, 248; the greatest number of runs, 147, and his 83 stolen bases has been passed only by Zeb Milan, the little Griffman. But Cobb is running wild and you can't dope out what he'll do this season.

It has been rightly said that, if Cobb is not seriously injured this season, he will come mighty close to winning the pennant for Hughes Jennings' team. The Georgian is enjoying perfect health. He is light and spry on his feet. His eyes are clear, his wind strong, his arm most powerful. Of the Tigers' thirty-one victories to date Cobb has won about half of them by his own individual efforts. Not in five years has he looked so good in all departments of the game. He is a boy again. Ty will make his 1915 bow in the Capital next Thursday, and that day will bring trouble galore for the National League. It is doing two men's work every day, and that means that the Griffs will oppose ten men Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Will the world's lightweight title be shifted to Willie Ritchie's brow on July 27? On that day he and Freddie Welsh, no wrold possessor of the honors, will meet in a ten-round bout at Brighton Beach, and fight fans everywhere will be looking for a knockout. Ritchie is a light-hitting boxer, but Welsh is a light-hitting boxer, and the challenger a hard-hitting fighter in comparison.

Welsh won the championship July 7, 1914, in London. Ritchie journeyed across the pond for that battle with Welsh, now proud possessor of the honors, picking up \$25,000 in no-holds-barred affairs here, has always managed to find between him and the Californian will probably be unsatisfactory, the champion in comparison.

If this proposed bout winds up evenly, as it probably will, Welsh will do well to consider meeting Charlie White, the Chicago lightweight, or Joe Wells, the reigning star of the lightweight division. But the American public is beginning to demand that the champion risk his title over the Marathon route, with a referee empowered to give a decision. A champion has no right to pack away his title in camp. He should be ever ready to defend it against all challengers. Welsh's tactics, such as refusing to weigh him in, though forcing his opponent to do so, and his refusal to fight on a level, though forcing his opponent to do so, have spoiled his reputation in this country, which he has adopted as his own. But perhaps he now means business, and the Ritchie bout may lead to others and longer ones.

"Retrench! Retrench!" is the cry heard everywhere in baseball this season, and there is no doubt that it will not eventually lead to better things on the diamond. To say that it will not eventually lead to better things on the diamond is to say that it will not eventually lead to better things on the diamond. To say that it will not eventually lead to better things on the diamond is to say that it will not eventually lead to better things on the diamond. To say that it will not eventually lead to better things on the diamond is to say that it will not eventually lead to better things on the diamond.

A. A. U. MUST PUT UP FARES FOR ATHLETES

San Francisco Exposition Authorities Cut Guarantee for Big Track and Field Games.

In awarding the National A. A. U. track and field championships to San Francisco, as one of the features of the big exposition, the athletic union realizes now that it made a bad blunder, one that will cost it considerable money. It has been promised that the fair authorities would provide enough cash to bring athletes from all sections of the country to San Francisco for the championships, but the financial failure of the fair has brought a big cut in the guarantee and now the A. A. U. must provide its own money or look for trouble before the country by not holding the championship games.

After a long session yesterday in New York the A. A. U. decided that it would have to step into the breach with some money if it hoped to hold the championships. If the sectional tryouts do not pan out financially the A. A. U. will be out a pretty penny, for it is a long way to the fair. The A. A. U. will send to San Francisco about twenty-five men from the East, twenty-five from the Chicago Section, five from the Southern Association and five each from the Pacific Northwest, Southern Pacific, and Interstate mountain associations. These men will be selected after the Eastern tryouts at Boston on June 25 and the middle Western tryouts in Chicago on July 17. Taking in the swimming championships, the A. A. U. will probably have to transport no less than 100 men to the exposition. This figure may be increased if the financial returns of the tryouts warrant further outlays.

VARSITY CREWS TO GRIND HARD TODAY

NEW LONDON, Conn., June 14.—Following their day of rest, both the Yale and Harvard crews will have a grinding workout today, to be tapered off with short spins calculated to keep the oarsmen loosened up. The coaches of both varsity crews express themselves as satisfied with recent showings, particularly that made late Saturday evening.

Harvard's varsity made the best showing, covering the four miles down stream an hour later in twenty-two minutes thirty-eight seconds. Yale's crew was rowed up stream an hour later in twenty-two minutes thirty-eight seconds. Yale's crew was rowed up stream an hour later in twenty-two minutes thirty-eight seconds. Yale's crew was rowed up stream an hour later in twenty-two minutes thirty-eight seconds.

Guy Nickalls, the Yale crew coach, said today that the time row was the best thing the Yale crew has done this year. Jim Wray, the Harvard coach, and Robert Herriek, chairman of the rowing committee, as well as Captain Murray, of the Crimson eight, said that they regarded Harvard's showing excellent.

The oarsmen were taken out in steam yachts yesterday for short cruises in the sound, and today they reported much relieved for their outing.

Beckett Appointed Chairman of Games

C. E. Beckett, athletic director of the Y. M. C. A., has been appointed chairman of the Fourth of July celebration and has plans under way for an athletic meet. Prof. Beckett is at work on the details of the meet.



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Open air boxing will be provided at Ardmore tomorrow night, if the present warm spell continues and no rain falls to interfere, according to Manager E. Lawrence Phillips, who is staging a double star card, a twenty-round welterweight bout between Hock Bones, of Memphis, and Karl Herz, of this city. A ten-round battle for the District featherweight title between Young Thomas and Kid Greek, both of this city.

"We shall remove the entire roof, if the weather does not prevent," said Manager Phillips today, "and there will be no discomfort for the fight fans of Washington. It will be far cooler at Ardmore than it can be in the city here."

SUBURBAN TOURNEY IS ON AT BRIGHTWOOD

Match play in the Suburban golf championship tournament will be continued during the week, the first round having been run off on the Brightwood course with but two defaults yesterday.

Bad weather in the afternoon failed to stop any of the matches, and all sixteen were run off on schedule. M. Felheimer defeated Sidney Kaufman 1 up in the closest match of the afternoon.

The results of the pairings follow: Sidney West defeated Fulton Brylawski, 3 up and 2; Bert Cohen defeated Maury Simon, by default; Sidney Bieber defeated Herbert Paeble, 2 up and 6; Julian Hillman defeated Sol Meyer, 2 up and 1; I. Behrend defeated A. Lichtenstein, 2 up and 1; M. Behrend defeated Dr. M. Fischer, 5 up and 4; Al Sigmund defeated Henry Kaufman, 3 up and 2; M. A. Baer defeated J. D. Kaufman, 2 up and 1; M. Felheimer defeated Sidney Kaufman, 1 up; Phil King defeated Lou Hirsch, 4 up and 2; Sidney Seitzenstein defeated A. Newman, by default; S. Gunst defeated Leroy King, 4 up and 2; Edgar C. Kaufman defeated Bernard Baer, 5 up and 4; Lester Lanza defeated the Sigmund, 6 up and 4; Morton Lucha defeated Gus Nordlinger, 9 up and 7.

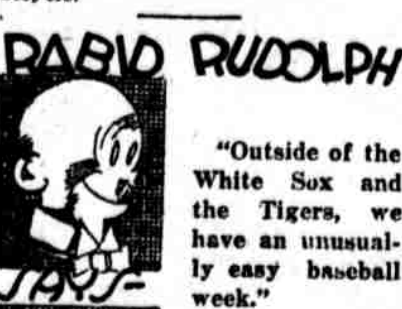
MINCE PIE "LITTLE OF EVERYTHING" By "BUGS" BAER.

Every good man makes enemies and Secretary Bryan hasn't got an enemy in the world.

It's a fortunate thing for Ralph De Palma that Howard Shanks wasn't entered in the Minneapolis road race, or Ralph would have finished second.

Ty Cobb isn't the fastest man in baseball. Roney Roach went through the entire league in one afternoon.

Ban Johnson has ordered catchers to stop blocking baserunners. If Howard Shanks gets on the bases in back of Rippy Williams, Rippy will have to use a bicycle.



"Outside of the White Sox and the Tigers, we have an unusually easy baseball week."

Tris Speaker is slowing up in the outfield fearfully. In a recent game in Boston the opposing side twice worked the sacrifice bunt on him.

Before leaving the league, Larry McLean showed that he had his old batting eye back again by hitting all the pitchers, outfielders and infielders that Muggsy McGraw sent in against him.

Ray Caldwell hits the ball just as if he wasn't on the Yanks at all.

It's a shame that Molla Bjurstedt won the tennis title. If she had lost, her opponent could have changed her name, following recognized European military tactics.

Altho' now in last place, there is no doubt that Connie Mack will be in the world series this fall. He has enough pull left to bone a pass.

Texas League.
Houston, 10; Dallas, 4.
Galveston, 4; Fort Worth, 2.
Waco, 3; Beaumont, 1.
San Antonio, 2; Shreveport, 3 (first game).
Shreveport, 5; San Antonio, 2 (second game).

GOLFERS GATHER FOR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Today Will Be Final Practice Day for Entrants in Baltusrol Club's Big Tourney.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Although the national open championship at golf will not begin formally until tomorrow there will be plenty going on today at the Baltusrol Golf Club, for practice and more practice will be the order of the day. The majority of those who are entered will be seen in action, especially those who are entered for the first day of qualification. Inasmuch as today will be the last chance for anybody, it is not unlikely that most of those who will tee up on Wednesday will also be on hand.

Perhaps some sort of competition will be made up among the players themselves, such as foursomes or four-ball matches, just to try each other out. And many there are who will make the trip to Short Hills to see the work-outs.

Francis Ouimet came to town last night, and will limber up with the others. Jerome D. Travers, of course, and Charles Evans, Jr., who got in from Chicago yesterday afternoon, will go through the same process.

Some of the professionals were out yesterday merely to play a few holes or walk over the course to get the lay of the land and study out the locations of the traps—things to avoid in medal play particularly.

Columbia Oarsmen Give Nickalls a Loving Cup

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 14.—Coach Jim Rice walked his oarsmen over the hills to the Pennsylvania quarters at Lake Chodoke yesterday to pay a visit for the purpose of presenting them with a loving cup from his admiring Columbia friends.

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Both combinations admit that they are out for blood, and there will be all sorts of relief corps about the field ready to administer to the weakening athletes.

The Medicos and Dentists taking part will be picked from the following: Martell, catcher; Lowe, pitcher; Larkin, first base; Meas, second base; Burbank, shortstop; Gibson, third base; Dugan, left field; Healey, center field, and Owen, right field.

James A. Toomey, chairman, and Dr. Leo Martell, vice chairman, are in charge of the fracas, which will start at 4 o'clock.

International League.
Richmond, 4; Newark, 3 (first game).
Newark, 12; Richmond, 5 (second game, 7 innings, darkness).
Providence, 4; Jersey City, 1 (first game).
Providence, 5; Jersey City, 3 (second game).
Montreal, 17; Toronto, 6 (first game).
Toronto, 6; Montreal, 4 (second game).

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